

NATION AND NATIONALISM: AN INQUIRY INTO THE CONTRASTING VISIONS AND PERSPECTIVES

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ABSTRACT

The research paper is an attempt to explore the range, perspectives and characteristics of the concepts of Nation and Nationalism. It is not as easy as it seems at initial stage to encompass the vast field of nation and nationalism, yet an attempt will be made to comprehend and examine the discourses of these concepts that have permanent impact on the lives of people directly or indirectly.

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